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SIR:

Responsive to the Notice to Comply with Requirement for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated September 21, 2004, Applicants submit herewith a sequence listing for the nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the above-identified patent application. Also enclosed is an Amendment in response to Notice under 37 CFR §§1.821-825 and a Statement to Support Filing and Submission in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825.

#### **REMARKS**

A copy of the sequence listing in computer readable form is also enclosed. The content of enclosed paper and computer readable copies of the sequence listing are the same, and the submission contains no new matter.

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 This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Seguence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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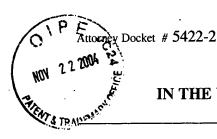
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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.